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Sir:

The Government of the United States of America, represented by the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services ("Assignee") and Centocor ("Assignee") are the assignees of the entire right, title, and interest in the above-identified U.S. patent application ("the application") as evidenced by assignments recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on September 3, 1992, at Reel 6251, Frame No. 0706, and on March 23, 1985, at Reel 4417, Frame No. 0030, respectively. In accordance with 37 CFR 3.37(b), the undersigned certifies that the undersigned is authorized to act on behalf of the Assignees, has reviewed all of the evidentiary documents accompanying or referred to in this Substitute Power of Attorney and, to the best of the undersigned's knowledge and belief, that title is in the Assignees.

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